#### Fiscal Director 1

Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration
Division of Accounts
Location: Nashville, Tennessee
Salary Range \$5,756.00-\$9,211.00 (based on qualifications and experience)
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## **Job Overview Summary:**

The Fiscal Director manages the accounts payable accounting processes for the Department of Human Services. The Fiscal Director reports to the Fiscal Director 2 and services the Department of Human Services as part of the F&A centralized accounting initiative.

# **Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Supervise, train, and provide strong leadership to the accounts payable accounting team ensuring compliance with GAAP and federal reporting guidelines.
- Serve as a subject matter expert on accounting policies, procedures, federal regulations, and systems for internal and external business partners.
- Establish and maintain accounting and business processes.
- Produce monthly and adhoc financial reports and provide informative financial analysis.
- Review and maintain the monthly checklist and reconciliations to ensure all transactions are recorded timely, and are accurate and complete.
- Run queries in Edison (PeopleSoft) and utilize excel skills to ensure journals are appropriately recorded in the general ledger.
- Monitor bills and laws to determine financial impact on programs and grants, budget modifications, and impact on internal policies and procedures.
- Develop performance evaluation goals and desired work outcomes for assigned subordinates to evaluate and develop job performance.
- Assist in the year-end close process ensuring deadlines are achieved.
- Effectively communicate with program management to provide value and service to the Department of Human Services.
- Assist with special projects and develop accounting processes as part of the system modernization initiative at the Department of Human Services.

## **Required Education/Experience:**

Graduation from an accredited college or university with a bachelor's degree in accounting, or a related acceptable field with at least 24 semester hours in accounting and experience equivalent to five or more years of full-time professional fiscal services and/or auditing work including, at least, one year of experience in the supervision of fiscal and/or auditing staff.

#### OR

Current certification as a "Certified Public Accountant" or license as a "Public Accountant" with the State of Tennessee may substitute for the required bachelor's degree and one year of full-time professional fiscal services and/or auditing work, there being no substitution for the required supervisory experience.

#### OR

Additional graduate course work credit received from an accredited college or university in business administration, accounting or related acceptable field may substitute for the required experience on a month-for-month basis to a maximum of one year, there being no substitution for the required supervisory experience (e.g., an additional 36 graduate quarter hours in one or a combination of the above listed fields may substitute for one year of the required non-supervisory experience).

# **Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:**

- Intermediate excel skills with the ability to analyze and summarize data through the use of formulas and pivot tables.
- Experience with PeopleSoft and Oracle systems is preferred but not required.
- Strong communication skills with the ability to provide solutions through critical thinking.
- Strong knowledge of GAAP and financial internal control systems.

# Only candidates who meet the minimum requirements for the position will be interviewed.

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